No. 15-1194

Title:	Lester Gerard Packingham, Petitioner v. North Carolina
Docketed:	March 23, 2016
Linked with 15A757	
Lower Ct:	Supreme Court of North Carolina
Case Nos.:	(366PA13)
Decision Date:	November 6, 2015

Questions Presented

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Jan 15 2016	Application (15A757) to extend the time to file a petition for a writ of certiorari from February 4, 2016 to March 21, 2016, submitted to The Chief Justice.
Jan 20 2016	Application (15A757) granted by The Chief Justice extending the time to file until March 21, 2016.
Mar 21 2016	Petition for a writ of certiorari filed. (Response due April 22, 2016)
Apr 6 2016	Waiver of right of respondent North Carolina to respond filed.
Apr 19 2016	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of May 12, 2016.
Apr 20 2016	Brief amici curiae of Profs. Ashutosh Bhagwat, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Apr 28 2016	Response Requested. (Due May 31, 2016)
May 26 2016	Order extending time to file response to petition to and including June 30, 2016.
Jun 30 2016	Brief of respondent North Carolina in opposition filed.
Jul 20 2016	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of September 26, 2016.
Jul 22 2016	Reply of petitioner Lester Gerard Packingham filed. (Distributed)
Oct 3 2016	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of October 7, 2016.
Oct 11 2016	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of October 14, 2016.
Oct 24 2016	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of October 28, 2016.
Oct 28 2016	Petition GRANTED.
Nov 16 2016	Consent to the filing of amicus curiae briefs in support of either party or of neither party from counsel for the respondent.
Nov 18 2016	The time to file the joint appendix and petitioner's brief on the merits is extended to and including December 15, 2016.
Dec 12 2016	Consent to the filing of amicus curiae briefs in support of either party or of neither party from counsel for the petitioner.
Dec 15 2016	Brief of petitioner Lester Gerard Packingham filed.
Dec 15 2016	Joint appendix filed. (Statement of costs filed)
Dec 21 2016	Brief amici curiae of Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press and the Thomas Jefferson Center for Protection of Free Expression filed.
Dec 22 2016	Brief amicus curiae of The National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers filed.
Dec 22 2016	Brief amici curiae of Cato Institute, et al. filed.
Dec 22 2016	SET FOR ARGUMENT on Monday, February 27, 2017.
Dec 22 2016	Brief amici curiae of Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, et al. filed.

Dec 22 2016	Brief amici curiae of Electronic Frontier Foundation, et al. filed.
Dec 22 2016	Brief amici curiae of Electronic Privacy Information Center (EPIC), et al. filed.
Dec 30 2016	Record requested from the Supreme Court of North Carolina
Jan 17 2017	Brief of respondent North Carolina filed. (Distributed)
Jan 18 2017	CIRCULATED.
Jan 23 2017	Brief amici curiae of State of Louisiana, and Twelve Other States filed. (Distributed)
Jan 24 2017	Brief amici curiae of Stop Child Predators, and Shared Hope International filed. (Distributed)
Jan 24 2017	Brief amici curiae of Council of State Governments, et al. filed.
Jan 31 2017	Record received from the Supreme Court of North Carolina and North Carolina Court of Appeals. The record is electronic.
Feb 16 2017	Reply of petitioner Lester Gerard Packingham filed. (Distributed)
Feb 27 2017	Argued. For petitioner: David T. Goldberg, Stanford, Cal. For respondent: Robert C. Montgomery, Senior Deputy Attorney General, Raleigh, N. C.
Jun 19 2017	Judgment REVERSED and case REMANDED. Kennedy, J., delivered the opinion of the Court, in which Ginsburg, Breyer, Sotomayor, and Kagan, JJ., joined. Alito, J., filed an opinion concurring in the judgment, in which Roberts, C. J., and Thomas, J., joined. Gorsuch, J., took no part in the consideration or decision of the case.
Jul 21 2017	MANDATE ISSUED.
Jul 21 2017	JUDGMENT ISSUED.

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